West Valley City Police Department

2015 Annual Report

Chief Lee W. Russo

Dear City Manager Pyle, Mayor and Councilpersons:

In 2015, the men and women of the West Valley City Police Department continued to progress along the path to excellence. Throughout the year, despite the impacts of staffing shortages and workload increases, there were a number of substantial successes. Remarkable achievements were realized evidencing our attention and unrelenting focus on reducing crime, the fear of crime, and on further nurturing the collaborative partnerships we have been building through our community.

During the year, progress has continued toward our goal of achieving national accreditation by incorporating Commission on Law Enforcement Accreditation's (CALEA) benchmark "gold standards" into our organization's policies and everyday operations. Without question, the dedicated and hard work of the members of our police department today are laying the groundwork for excellence and innovation that will serve as a lasting guide for the officers of the City's future.

In closing, I am filled with immense pride in leading a group of sworn and civilian members who are deeply committed to fulfilling the mission, realizing the vision, and honoring core values of the WVCPD in our quest toward achieving excellence in both operation and service.

Respectfully,

Lee W. Russo
Chief of Police

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Mission Statement:

The mission of the West Valley City Police Department is to work in partnership with the community to protect life and property, solve neighborhood problems, and enhance the quality of life in our City. In doing so, members of this Police Department commit themselves in the following core tenets:

    1) Protect Life and Safety
    2) Preventing Crime
    3) Reducing the Fear of Crime
    4) Bringing Offenders to Justice
    5) Maintaining Public Accountability
    6) Providing Excellence in Service

Chief's Vision:

We will aspire to be a leader in policing, a model for character, innovation, and service. We will strive to protect our diverse and dynamic community and will work in partnership with residents to promote public safety, reduce crime, and improve the overall quality of life enjoyed by our citizens. We will professionally execute our role as law enforcement officers and public servants with fairness, integrity, compassion, and respect for the rights of all individuals. Together, we will resolve to develop a creative, forward-thinking workforce, dedicated to raising our level of excellence to meet the challenges of tomorrow.

We will work diligently and tirelessly to continually improve ourselves. Partnerships and collaboration will be the primary themes of building a new strategic plan for our police department. This plan will serve as a living document through which we will both establish and prioritize the goals and objectives of our organization and will also assist us in overcoming the challenges that we currently face. Ultimately, this plan will serve as our road map to the future by focusing us on those things that unify our efforts in fulfilling our mission and achieving our vision.

We will work together as an organization and be ever-cognizant that our effort to improve public safety and the quality of life for our community is our top priority. We will be undeterred in serving the public with the highest degree of professionalism, accountability, and fairness. We will maximize the effectiveness and efficiency of our organization through strategic alignment of our resources in a manner that best achieves our mission.

Organizational Values:

By definition, community policing reflects a set of values, rather than a set of prescribed technical standards that guide the policing function. Values in policing reflects an orientation by the organization that focuses emphasis on the quality of service delivery, building a supportive and responsive relationship between the police and community, and promoting a supportive and empowering relationship throughout the organization's leadership and rank-and-file.

Integrity
Ethical behavior is the cornerstone of public trust. For any police department to maintain such trust, it must constantly demonstrate that its partnership with the community will be fair, objective and securely rooted in consistently applied ethical principles. Members of the West Valley City Police Department are expected to demonstrate, through words and deeds that the best interest of the public is always in the forefront of their decisions.

Therefore, we uphold the public trust by being honest. In doing so, we maintain the highest standards of professional and ethical character.

Service
We are dedicated to enhancing public safety and reducing the fear and incidence of crime. People in our communities are our most important customers. The mantra of "To Protect and to Serve" is more than a slogan - it is our way of life. We will work in partnership with the people in our communities and do our best, within the law, to solve community problems that effect public safety. We value the great diversity of people in both our residential and business communities and serve all with equal dedication.

Therefore, we provide dedicated and compassionate assistance by promoting leadership, cooperation, and creativity.   We aspire to improve the quality of life in partnership with the community.

Accountability
Accountability is a requirement to take action, be that action either legal or moral. It is the impetus to act and be take responsibility. As police officers, we have the legal obligation to serve and protect the residents of our city, and the legal requirement to preserve order and uphold the law. However, our obligation extends beyond the obvious legal requirement. For us, there is an obligation to service that is tied directly to our personal honor. We act not just because of our legal authority, but because of our personal duty help and solve problems.

Therefore, we will be responsive to community needs and will always be accountable for our decisions and actions.

Fairness
Fundamental to delivery of professional police service is the fair and equitable treatment of all individuals. Whether citizen or employee, all must be treated with dignity and respect. Fairness means we:

- Act consistently with our values and expectations.
- Let compassion and courtesy guide our actions.
- Have respect for all people, their ideas and opinions.
- Apply rules, regulations and laws in an unbiased manner.
- Treat others as we want to be treated.

Therefore, we treat everyone with respect and dignity in an unbiased manner. We protect constitutional rights through impartial enforcement of the law.

In sum, it is through the daily adherence to our core values and organizational mission that will demonstrate our commitment to professionalism and dedication to those with whom we work and serve.

West Valley City Police Department

2015 Personnel Distribution and Budget

West Valley City Police Department
2015 Organizational Chart

- Chief of Police
  - Sergeant Intel
  - PIO
  - Office Manager
    - Assistant Secretary
  - Deputy Chief Internal Affairs and Inspections
    - Lieutenant Internal Affairs and Inspections
    - Applications Administrator
  - Deputy Chief Financial Operations
    - Risk
    - Budget Manager
    - Lieutenant Grants & Accreditation
      - Accreditation Manager (Vacant)
    - Lieutenant Records
      - Supervisor Records
      - Supervisor Records
  - Deputy Chief Administrative Operations
    - Lieutenant Training
      - Bomb Unit
      - Training Secretary
      - Sergeant Training
    - Director Forensics
      - Supervisor Evidence
  - Deputy Chief Strategic Operations
    - Investigations Secretary
    - Investigations Clerk
    - Lieutenant Vice/Narcotics
      - Sergeant VNU
    - Lieutenant Special Operations (Vacant)
      - SWAT
      - Sergeant SIU (Vacant)
      - Task Force Officers
    - Lieutenant Investigations
      - Sergeant Group A
      - Sergeant Group B
      - Sergeant Group C
      - Sergeant SVU
  - Deputy Chief Uniformed Operations
    - CRU Sergeant
    - Traffic Sergeant
    - Patrol Secretary
    - Lieutenant Field Commander Days
      - Sergeant Days
    - Lieutenant Field Commander Days
      - Sergeant Days
    - Lieutenant Field Commander Afternoons
      - Sergeant Afternoons
      - Sergeant K-9's
    - Lieutenant Field Commander Afternoons
      - Sergeant Afternoons
      - Sergeant Afternoons
    - Lieutenant Field Commander Graves
      - Sergeant Graves
      - Sergeant Graves
    - Lieutenant Field Commander Graves
      - Sergeant Graves
      - Sergeant Graves

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West Valley City Police Department
2015 Personnel Distribution

2015 Authorized Sworn Personnel - 208.5

Chief of Police	1
Deputy Chiefs	4
Captains	0
Lieutenants	11
Sergeants	19
Uniform Patrol	74
K-9 Officer	6
Detectives	30
Traffic	3
Community Services Officers	4.5
Vice/Narcotics	6
Task Forces	5
Training Division	3
Military Leave	0
Academy/FTO	12
In Operational Status	**178.5**

2015 Authorized Non-Sworn Personnel - 44

Office Manager	1
Budget Manager	1
Administrative Assistant	3
Executive Secretary	1
Records Supervisors	2
Support Services Clerks	20
Applications Administrator	0
Crime Analyst	0
Intelligence Analyst	2
Evidence Supervisor	1
Evidence Clerk	4
Forensics Director	1
Forensics Technicians	5
In Operational Status	**41**

2015 Personnel Race and Gender

	Sworn Personnel			Non-Sworn Personnel		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
White	151	11	162	6	32	38
Asian	4	0	4	0	0	0
Black	2	0	2	0	1	1
Pacific Islander	2	2	4	0	1	1
Hispanic	7	0	7	0	1	1
Total	**166**	**13**	**179**	**6**	**35**	**41**

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West Valley City Police Department
2015 Budget

2015 Budget Distribution

$838,394 $1,406,651

- Automobile Operations 4%
- Other Operations 6%
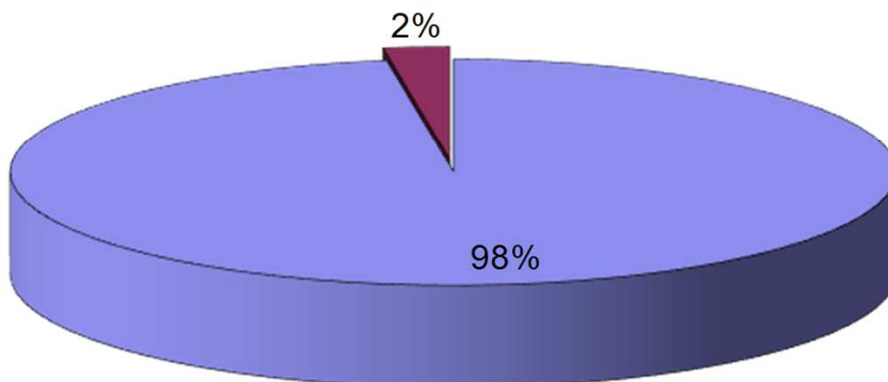- Personnel 90%
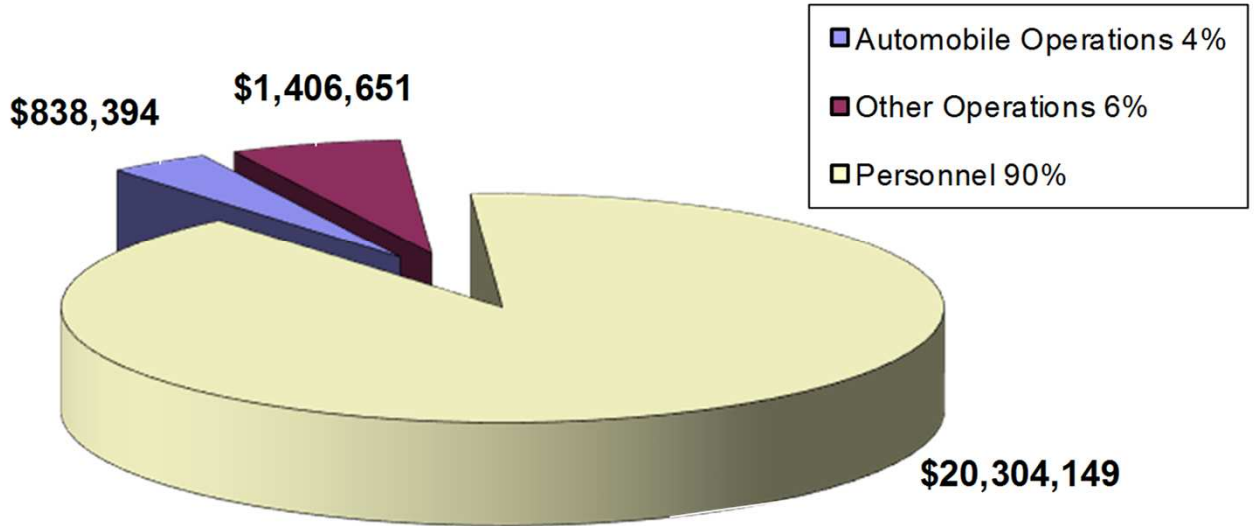
$20,304,149

Auto operations include fleet maintenance, parts, and fuel
Operations includes software, building, and equipment maint., office supplies, etc.

2015 Personnel Expenses

- Administration $20,304,149
- Crossing Guards $500,615

2%

98%

*All personnel expenses were transferred to Administration, except Crossing Guards.

FY2015-16 POLICE DEPARTMENT BUDGET SUMMARY

Salaries & Benefits-	$22,482,018
Administration-	$1,462,232
Records-	$45,200
Training-	$231,083
Crossing Guards-	$4,505
Evidence-	$20,000
Forensics-	$19,750
Community Policing-	$22,710
Investigation-	$25,641
Uniform Patrol-	$84,410
S.W.A.T. Unit-	$55,560
Special Operations-	$30,800
Intelligence/Internal Affairs-	$0
Bomb Squad Unit-	$0
Police Grants-	$156,641
Total Police-	**$24,640,550**

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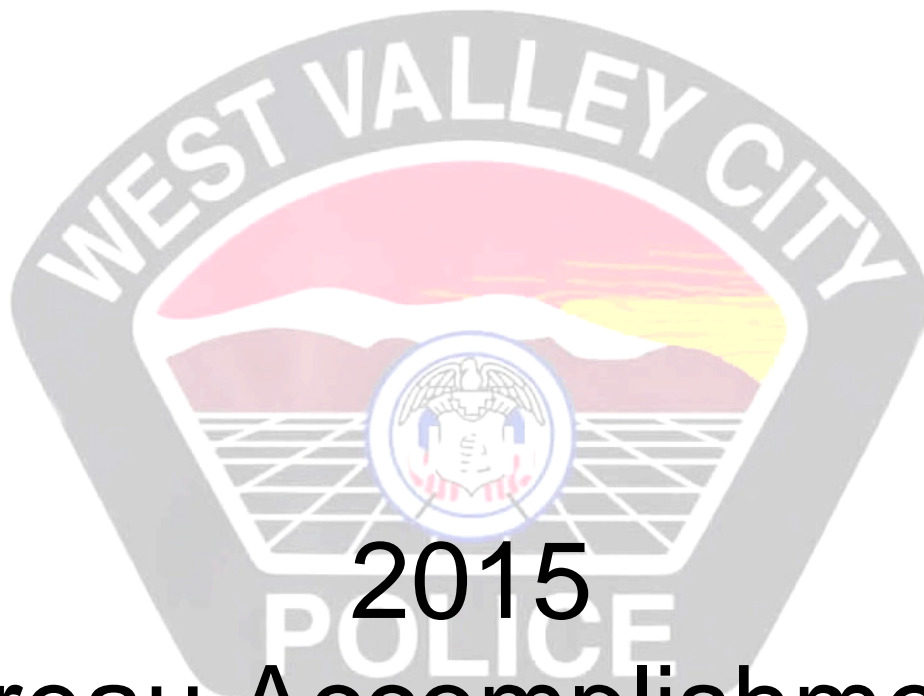
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Bureau Accomplishments

2015 ADMINISTRATION & FINANCIAL BUREAU ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

TRAINING UNIT:

- Managed 24 new officers through their field training, 13 of which attended POST as well.
- Implemented the body worn camera program and actively managed 190 BWC systems.
- Managed the return of equipment for 27 officers that either retired or resigned.

GRANTS:

- Applied for and was awarded $503,290.00 in state and federal grants for equipment, enforcement activities, and training.

CALEA:

- Achieved a near 75% completion of the CALEA Accreditation and prepared for mock assessment that was held in January 2016.

RECORDS UNIT:

- Five tenured and valuable Records Clerks and one supervisor retired. Ashley Leclaire was promoted as new supervisor and six new clerks hired to replace those who retired. The new supervisor and clerks were trained.
- Two programs were revamped and implemented: U-Visas and GRAMA. The programs were retooled and were greatly improved in the areas of both processes and policies. The Records Section now has one of the foremost and progressive U-Visa programs in the nation. The GRAMA process is now in line with the governing Utah State Laws, Utah State Archives, and the Records Section has a permanent record of all documents, photos, and videos that are disseminated.
- Backlog numbers in 2014 averaged around 192 cases a day and at times were over a 1000. In 2015, the backlog numbers improved to an average of 89 cases a day. A 46% improvement. This was accomplished while the Records Section was down personnel, training new personnel, changing policies, implementing new processes and revamping existing programs.

FORENSICS UNIT:

- Changing the division of processing duties to effectively eliminate a 300 case backlog.
- Renovating and reorganizing the laboratory area in order to purge outdated equipment and purchase new items to improve the safety of the environment.
- The certification of a firearms examiner and addition of a trained serologist to improve the self-sufficiency of our department.

EVIDENCE UNIT:

- Relocating the Conex and associated items of evidence to a more secure location.
- Converting the old holding cells into property rooms to provide adequate access to long term investigation cases and safe keep.
- Initiating a new purge program through TAMS solutions in order to clear out qualifying personal electronics from evidence storage.

2015 PATROL BUREAU ACCOMPLISHMENTS

The following information highlights the major accomplishments within the Patrol Bureau for consideration for inclusion in the 2015 annual report:

- In July 2015, the Patrol Bureau conducted an assessment of its method to deploy patrol officers across all three shifts (i.e. day, afternoon, and graveyard shifts.) This assessment was conducted because the bureau suffered a staffing shortage due to a high rate of attrition at the time, and to determine if the current deployment model was the most effective for deploying existing patrol officers combined with an efficiency consideration in the context of response times for calls for service. This assessment led to the development of a new deployment model that created two shift types. One shift provided for a 3 day/12-hour shift. The second shift remained a traditional, 4 day/10 hour shift. A calls for a service analysis was incorporated into this assessment to determine the days and times of the highest number of total calls for service, and the days and times of the highest number of priority calls for service. The outcome of this assessment revealed a deployment method that would allow for an increased number of patrol officers during the times the department experienced its highest number of calls for service in both volume and priority. The new 4/10 – 3/12 deployment was implemented on October 10, 2015.

- With regard to the aforementioned change to the shift schedule in patrol (i.e. 4/10 – 3/12 deployment), a survey was developed as a method to receive feedback from the patrol officers after its implementation. Seventy-three patrol officers responded to the survey, a near 100% response rate. The survey revealed the majority of patrol officers favored this shift, and 89% of the respondent officers requested to keep this schedule permanently.

- The Crime Suppression Unit (CSU), situated in the Patrol Bureau, has historically been a proactive unit dedicated to conduct directed enforcement efforts in high-crime areas in the city. These high-crime areas are identified through the use of intelligence and information gathered by CSU, and in concert with the department's Information and Intelligence Unit (IIU). In July 2015, due to a significant staffing shortage experienced in the Patrol Bureau, CSU was re-purposed to support the Patrol Bureau with the primary responsibility to respond to calls for service. This change limited the amount of time CSU could dedicate to its traditional, proactive mission. Despite this, CSU was able to continue proactive enforcement during times when not committed to responding to calls for service. Below are some of CSU's statistics for 2015:

  - Felony Arrests   -   390
  - Misdemeanor Arrests   -   169

- o Recovered Stolen Vehicles   -   140
- o Recovered Stolen Property   - $967,000 (Ttl. Est. Value)
- o Firearms Seized   -   81
- o Field Cards   -   146
- o Search Warrants   -   86

- In late 2015, the Patrol Bureau undertook a project to assess the current reporting practices required of Patrol Officers. The focus of this project was on short form cases and accompanying documentation, officers' daily line sheets, and field based reporting. The purpose of this project was to identify redundancy, inefficiency, or duplicative processes that could be reduced or eliminated as a means to improve overall efficiency and make additional time for patrol officers to be committed to calls for service or other patrol centric law enforcement functions. A pilot project was started in late 2015 that eliminated the requirement for officers to take and document short form cases. The pilot project also eliminated the need for officers participating in the project to complete daily line sheets. The preliminary results of this project were positive. The project was expanded and has continued into 2016.

2015 STRATEGIC POLICING BUREAU ACCOMPLISHMENTS

INVESTIGATIONS: Comprised of one lieutenant, four sergeants, and 24-30 detectives, divided into four groups including two general crimes units, the Special Victims Unit (SVU) and Major Crimes Response Team (MCRT)

- The investigations division participated in the creation and implementation of the county wide Officer Involved Critical Incident (OICI) Protocol Agreement and established one of three protocol teams. Our protocol team investigated two OICI's, including one for another agency at their request.

- Detectives investigated 10 homicides, with arrests made on all homicides other than those in which the suspect was deceased. Case investigations took detectives to Wyoming, Colorado, and Texas. The Kaylee Vijil homicide received national media coverage

- 160 search warrants were written and executed.

- Detective squads were reorganized to create the SVU and MCRT.

- MCRT received the Unit Citation Award for the year

- Daily detective activity documentation was streamlined to eliminate redundancy.

- The Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force (ICAC) detectives arrested 19 child predators, and wrote 30 forensic search warrants.

- An SVU detective was assigned responsibility for the Sex Offender Registry.

- The case assignment process was revamped to create a more equitable distribution of the workload.

- Detectives worked with Public Information Officer (PIO) to create a pamphlet to assist victims of major crimes in dealing with the media.

- Each member of the SVU participated with a psychologist to complete a personal evaluation to determine their current state of mental health.

- Det. Greco continued to work on cold cases and did develop a significant lead in the Vui Vui (Tri Phan) homicide.

SPECIAL OPERATIONS:

- **Vice Narcotics Unit (VNU),** Comprised of one lieutenant, one sergeant, and six detectives.

  - The new Vice Narcotics Unit was created from the ground up. Initial training was conducted and the unit was temporary assigned to the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA). Office space, desks, chairs, vehicles, tactical equipment, and computers were procured.

  - The unit went fully operational July 1. In addition to a regular caseload, they also handled 163 drug tips and wrote 21 search warrants. They also participated in numerous drug operations with the DEA and other area narcotics units, where several pounds of heroin and other drugs were seized.

  - Sgt. Paul Gill received the award for Sworn Supervisor of the Year.

- **Special Investigations Unit (SIU),** Comprised of one lieutenant, one sergeant, and four detectives.

  - Members of the unit were active for the first six months of 2015, until they were re-purposed in July. During that time, they wrote 18 search warrants, and also made 90 arrests for various felony and misdemeanor offenses and warrants.

  - Significant incidents by SIU included locating and arresting a homicide suspect who had just stabbed someone and was attempting to evade capture. SIU also investigated a drug case resulting in the seizure of 35 lbs. of khat, and $35,000 in drug proceeds from several bank accounts. SIU also recovered illegal drugs, several stolen vehicles, and several weapons during the time they were active.

- **Task Force Officers**

  - Officers were assigned to the following task forces/assignments:
    - Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms (ATF)
    - Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA)
    - FBI Joint Terrorism Task Force (JTTF)
    - FBI Regional Computer Forensic Laboratory (RCFL)
    - FBI Safe Streets Task Force
    - Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC)
    - Metro Gang Task Force
    - US Marshal's Violent Fugitive Apprehension Strike Team (VFAST)
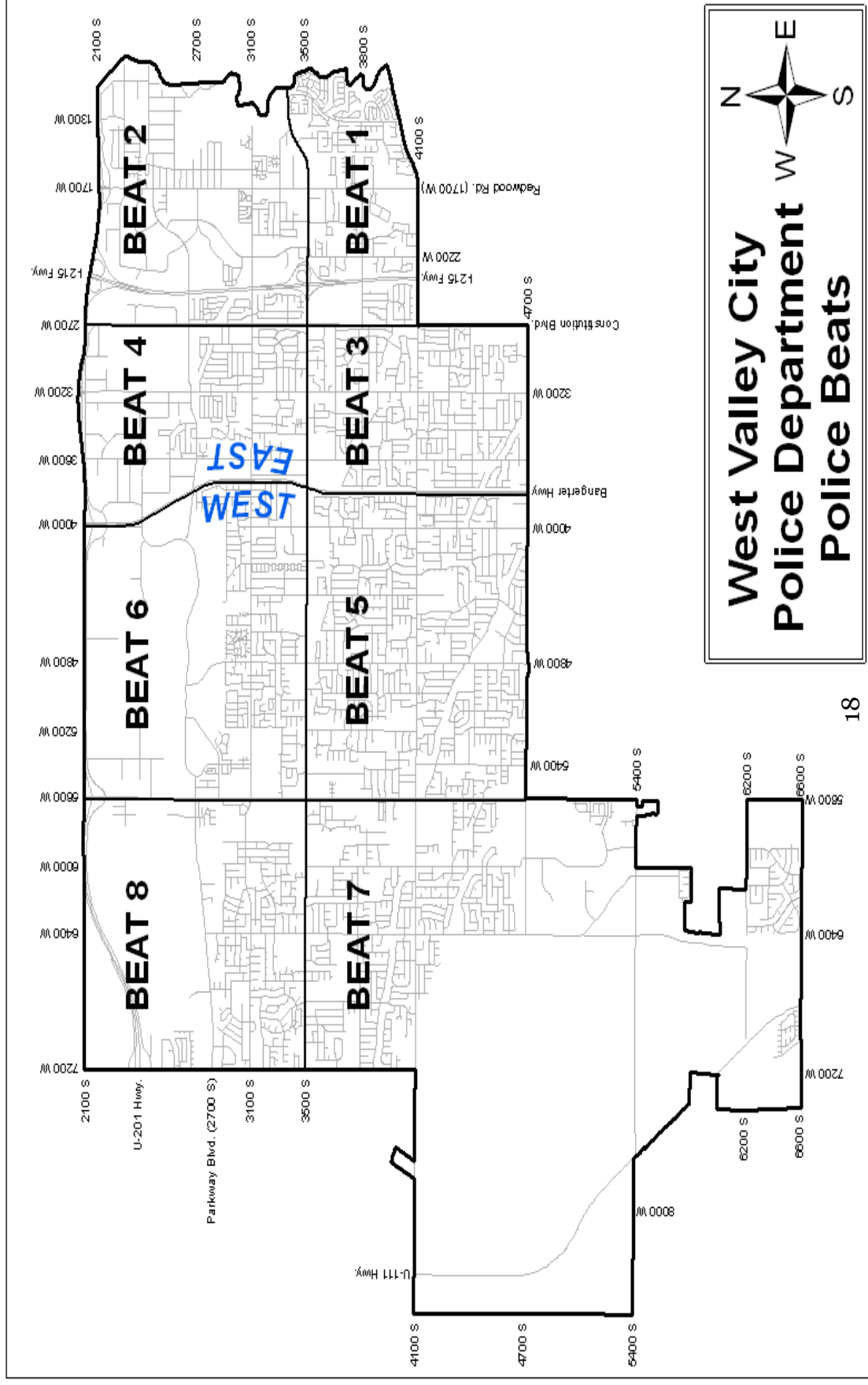
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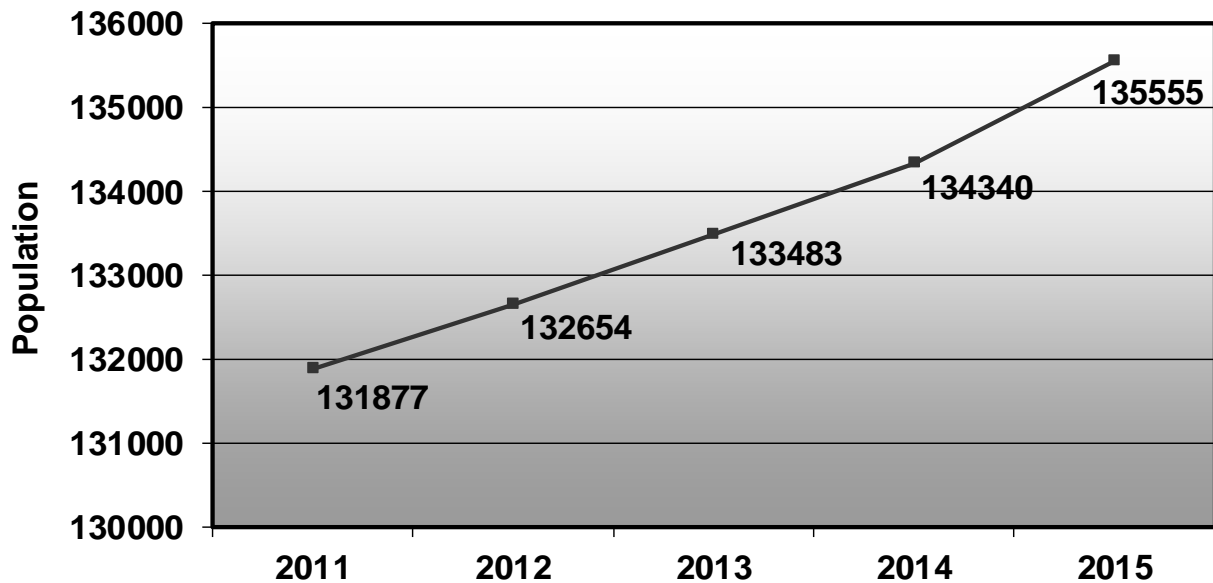
2015 Statistical Information

West Valley City Police Department
2015 Beat Map

West Valley City
Police Department
Police Beats

BEAT 1
BEAT 2
BEAT 3
BEAT 4
BEAT 5
BEAT 6
BEAT 7
BEAT 8

WEST
EAST

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West Valley City 2015 Population Growth & Officers Per 1000

Population Growth

Year	Population
2011	131877
2012	132654
2013	133483
2014	134340
2015	135555

Sworn Officers Per 1000 Citizens Based On Operational Strength of 179 Officers

Year	# Officers per 1000
2010	1.47
2011	1.40
2012	1.39
2013	1.36
2014	1.35
2015	1.32
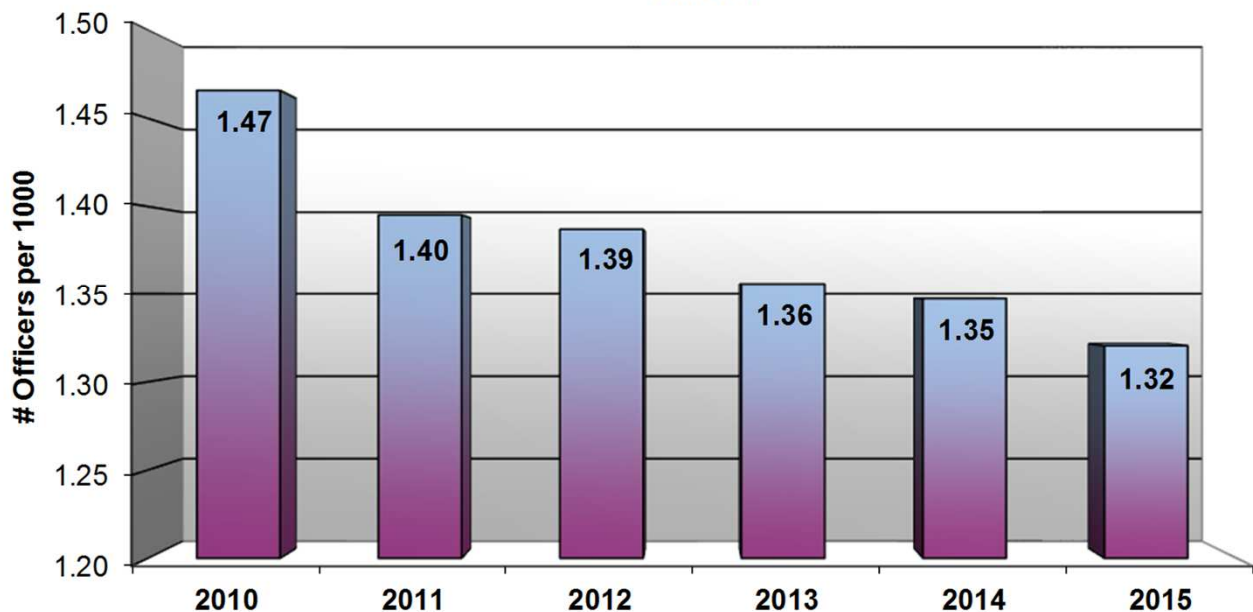
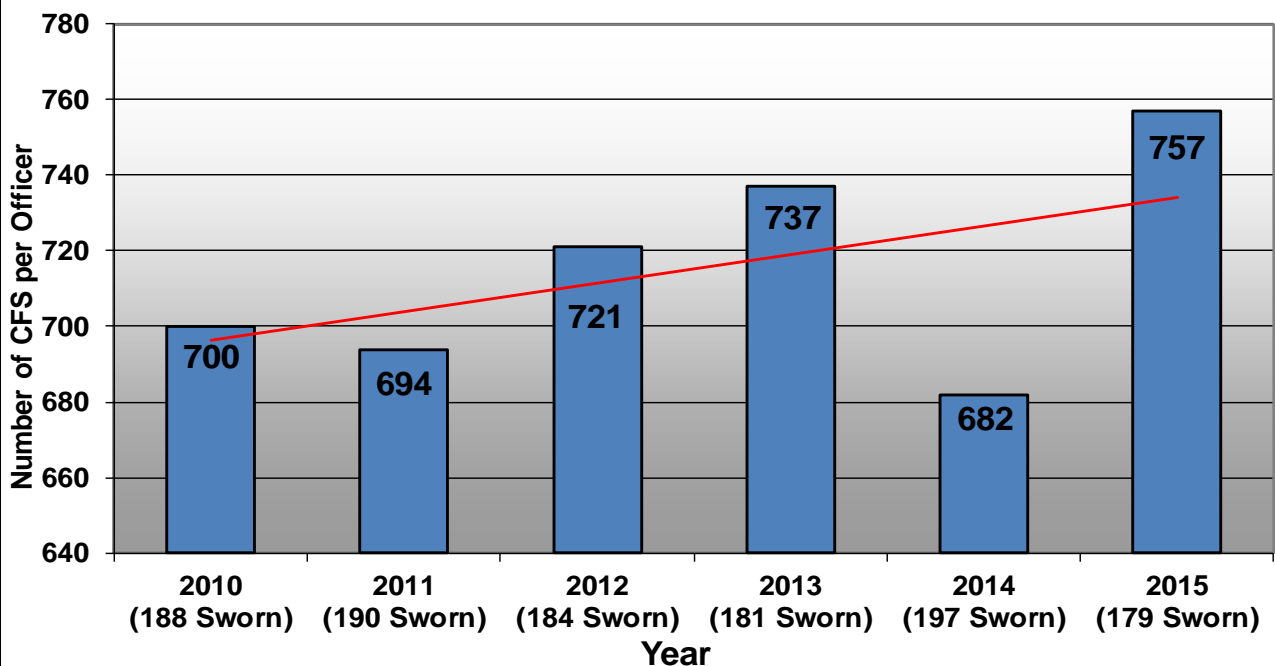# West Valley City Police Department 2015 Calls for Service & Calls per Sworn Officer

Calls for Service with Traffic Stops

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
CFS	109,348	108,098	105,012	103,719	116,650	117,048
Traffic Stops	22,278	17,996	11,111	11,090	20,251	15,321
Total	131,626	126,094	116,123	114,809	136,901	132,369
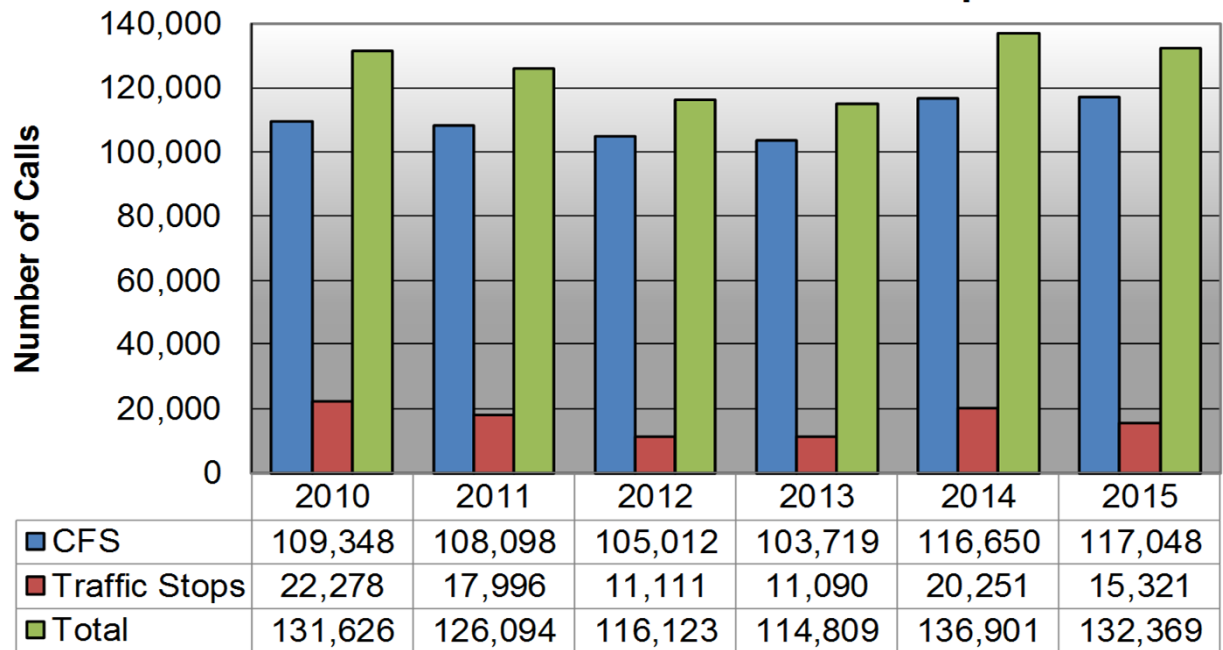
Calls For Service per Sworn Officer

Year	Number of CFS per Officer
2010 (188 Sworn)	700
2011 (190 Sworn)	694
2012 (184 Sworn)	721
2013 (181 Sworn)	737
2014 (197 Sworn)	682
2015 (179 Sworn)	757

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West Valley City Police Department's
Description of Priority Calls 1 – 9
Prioritized by the Valley Emergency Communications Center (VECC)

Priority 1 Calls (In Progress)

Calls that are in progress at the time the call is received, such as: robberies in progress, business and residential burglaries in progress, vehicle burglaries in progress, vehicle thefts in progress, kidnappings, aggravated assaults, homicides, dead bodies, assault on an officer, accident with injuries, assist fire department, weapons offenses, etc.

Priority 2 Calls (Just Occurred)

Medical calls, 911 hang-ups, thefts, thefts in progress, domestic assaults, simple assaults, robberies, DUI's, accidents without injuries, etc.

Priority 3 Calls (Not In Progress)

Assist other agencies, assist public, business and residential burglaries, vehicle burglaries, vehicle thefts, child abuse, illegal fireworks, found child, joyriding, protective order violations, etc.

Priority 4 Calls (Not In Progress)

Forgeries, fraud, gambling, keeping the peace, juvenile runaways, traffic problems, drug offenses, criminal mischief, civil problems, animal problems, etc.

Priority 5 Calls (Not In Progress)

Graffiti, property damage, lost and found property, protective custody violations, stalking, tobacco violations, truancy, juvenile pick-ups, ordinance violations, etc.

Priority 6 Calls (Not In Progress)

Abandoned vehicles, extra patrol requests, motor inspections, parking problems, special assignments, witness tampering, wildlife violations, etc.

Priority 7 Calls (Not In Progress)

Extra patrol requests for traffic accidents, follow-ups, vehicle impounds, vehicle repossessions.

Priority 8 & 9 Telephonic Calls (Not In Progress)

Telephonic calls are considered priorities 4 through 7 that can be handled by an officer taking the report over the telephone, or the complainant and/or victim is not able to physically come into the police station and file a report with the telephonic officer.

West Valley City Police Department
2015 Response Times With Traffic Stops
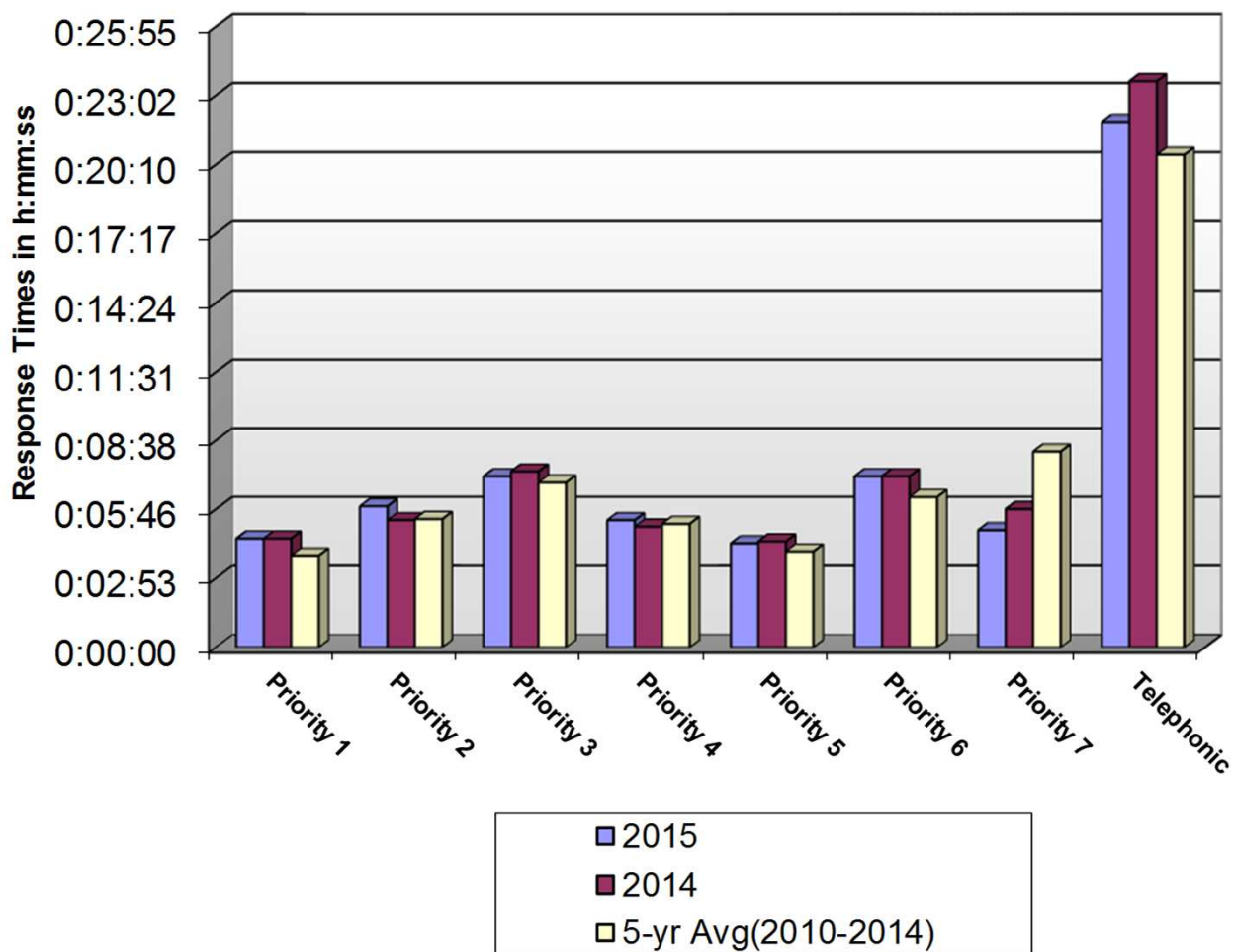
	Priority 1	Priority 2	Priority 3	Priority 4	Priority 5	Priority 6	Priority 7	Telephonic
2015	0:04:32	0:05:53	0:07:08	0:05:18	0:04:20	0:07:08	0:04:53	0:21:56
2014	0:04:32	0:05:18	0:07:20	0:05:02	0:04:25	0:07:08	0:05:46	0:23:38
5-yr Avg(2010-2014)	0:03:50	0:05:21	0:06:52	0:05:09	0:04:00	0:06:16	0:08:10	0:20:34

Priority 1 calls are those in progress or occurred less than 10 min. prior to call being received, the suspect may stil be in the area or there is an immediate threat to life and/or property.

NIBRS VS. UCR

NIBRS vs. UCR Crime Reporting: How Crime Statistics are Collected

The **West Valley City Police Department** submits crime statistics to the Bureau of Criminal Identification (BCI) and eventually the FBI using the National Incident-Based Reporting System (NIBRS).

What is NIBRS?
NIBRS is a method of collecting data based on each single incident and arrest. For example: During the commission of a residential burglary, the offender rapes and murders the homeowner. NIBRS counts three offenses: burglary, rape, and murder.

NIBRS categorizes crime into Group A and Group B Offenses. Group A offenses include *Crimes against Persons*, *Crimes against Property*, and *Crimes against Society*. *Crimes against Persons* are those in which the victim is always an individual (i.e. murder, rape, assault). *Crimes against Property* are those which money or property is obtained from the crime (i.e. robbery, burglary, bribery). *Crimes against Society* represent society's prohibition against engaging in certain types of activity (i.e. gambling, prostitution).

NIBRS Group A Offenses include:
- Murder/Non-Negligent & Negligent Manslaughter
- Justifiable Homicide
- Kidnapping/Abduction
- Forcible Rape, Forcible Sodomy, Forcible Fondling
- Sexual Assault with an object
- Aggravated Assault, Simple Assault, Intimidation
- Incest
- Statutory Rape
- Robbery
- Arson
- Burglary/Breaking & Entering
- Extortion/Blackmail
- Larceny
- Motor Vehicle Theft
- Counterfeiting, Forgery, Fraud
- Embezzlement
- Stolen Property: Buying, Receiving, Possessing
- Destruction of Property/Vandalism
- Bribery
- Drug/Narcotics Violations (incl. Drug Equipment)
- Pornography/Obscene Material
- Gambling
- Prostitution (incl. Assisting/Promoting)
- Weapons Law Violations

NIBRS Group B Offenses are only reported in the event of an arrest, and include:
- Bad Checks
- Curfew Violations/Loitering/Vagrancy
- Disorderly Conduct
- Driving under the Influence
- Family Non-Violent Offenses
- Liquor Law Violations, Drunkenness
- Peeping Tom
- Runaways (Persons under 18)
- Trespassing
- All Other Offenses

What is UCR?
Many police agencies use the UCR System which is not incident-based, but rather uses a "Hierarchy Rule". This means that in a situation where multiple offenses were committed at the same time and place, the crimes are classified and only the highest ranking offense is counted and the rest are ignored, regardless of the number of offenders and/or victims. Similar to the NIBRS Group A and B categories, UCR groups crime into Part 1 and Part 2 Offenses.

For example: During the commission of an armed bank robbery, the offender strikes a teller with the butt of the handgun, runs from the bank and steals an automobile. The three Part 1 offenses that occurred are robbery, aggravated assault and vehicle theft. Since robbery is the "highest" ranking offense of the three, this is the only offense that would be reported. The other two offenses would be ignored.

UCR Part 1 Offenses include:
- Homicide
- Rape
- Robbery
- Aggravated Assault
- Burglary
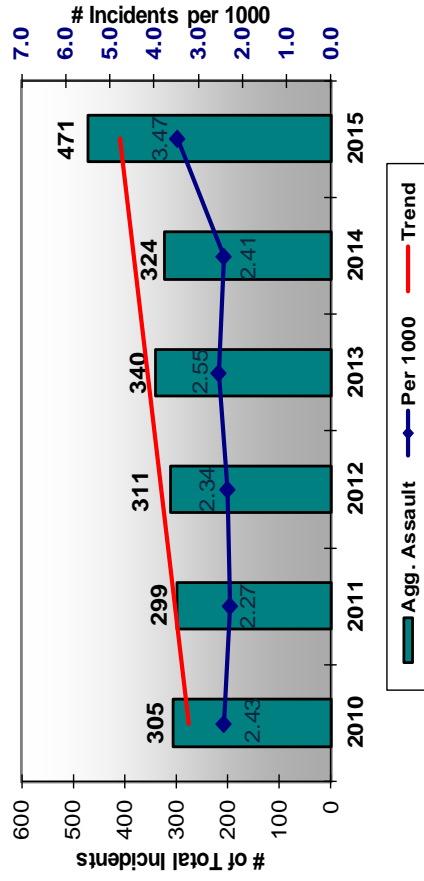- Larceny/Theft
- Motor Vehicle Theft
- Arson

UCR Part 2 Offenses are only reported in the event of an arrest, and include:
- Other Assaults
- Forgery, Counterfeiting, Fraud
- Embezzlement
- Stolen Property: Buying, Receiving, Possessing
- Vandalism
- Weapons Law Violations
- Prostitution
- Sex Offenses
- Drug Abuse Violations
- Gambling
- Offenses Against the Family and Children
- Driving Under the Influence
- Liquor Law Violations, Drunkenness
- Disorderly Conduct
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- Runaways (Persons under 18)
- All Other Offenses

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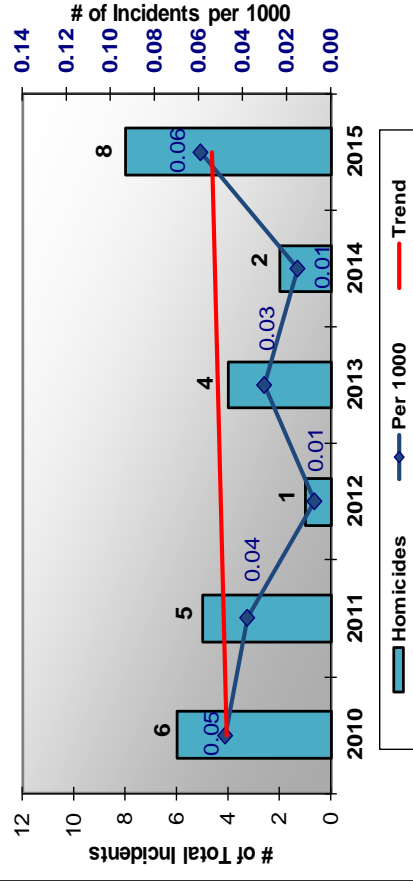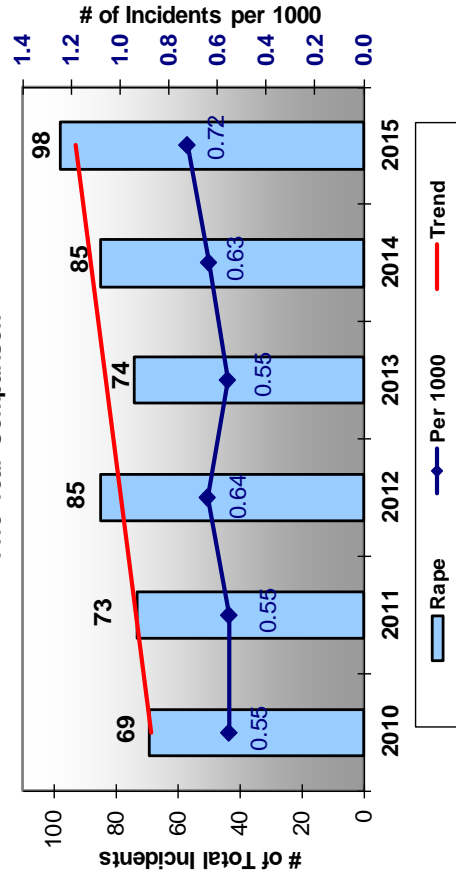# Part 1 Crimes & Crimes per 1000 (2011-2015)

Homicides, Negligent & Justifiable Homicides
Five Year Comparison

Aggravated Assaults
Five Year Comparison
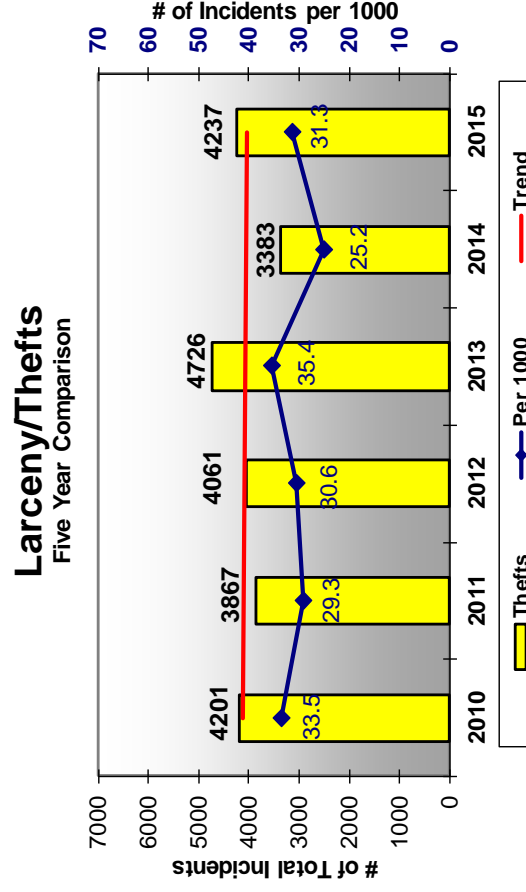
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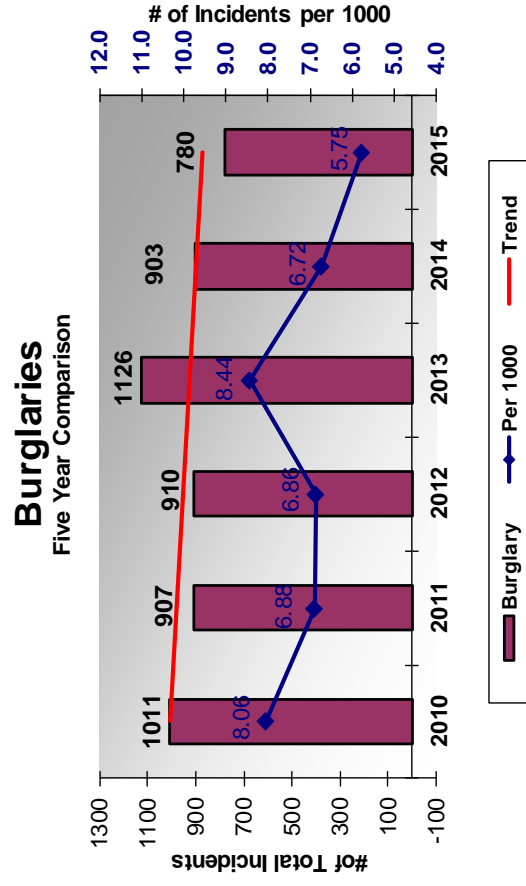Five Year Comparison

Forcible Rapes
Five Year Comparison

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West Valley Police Department
Part 1 Crimes & Crimes per 1000 (2011-2015)

Arsons
Five Year Comparison

Year	Total Incidents	Per 1000
2010	13	0.10
2011	10	0.08
2012	18	0.14
2013	12	0.09
2014	13	0.10
2015	17	0.13

Legend: Arson, Per 1000, Trend

Motor Vehicle Thefts
Five Year Comparison

Year	Total Incidents	Per 1000
2010	621	4.95
2011	749	5.68
2012	663	5.00
2013	983	7.36
2014	889	6.62
2015	910	6.71

Legend: Auto Theft, Per 1000, Trend

Burglaries
Five Year Comparison

Year	Total Incidents	Per 1000
2010	1011	8.06
2011	907	6.88
2012	910	6.86
2013	1126	8.44
2014	903	6.72
2015	780	5.75

Legend: Burglary, Per 1000, Trend

Larceny/Thefts
Five Year Comparison

Year	Total Incidents	Per 1000
2010	4201	33.5
2011	3867	29.3
2012	4061	30.6
2013	4726	35.4
2014	3383	25.2
2015	4237	31.3

Legend: Thefts, Per 1000, Trend

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West Valley City Police Department
Part 1 Crime Trends
2014 vs. 2015 & 5-year Average

Violent Crimes

	Agg. Assault	Homi/Neg Homi	Forcible Rape	Robbery
■ 2014	324	2	85	136
■ 2015	471	8	98	158
□ 5-yr avg	349	4	83	140

Property Crimes

	Arson	Burglary	Larceny/Theft	Auto Theft
■ 2014	13	903	3383	889
■ 2015	17	780	4237	910
□ 5-yr avg	14	925	4055	839
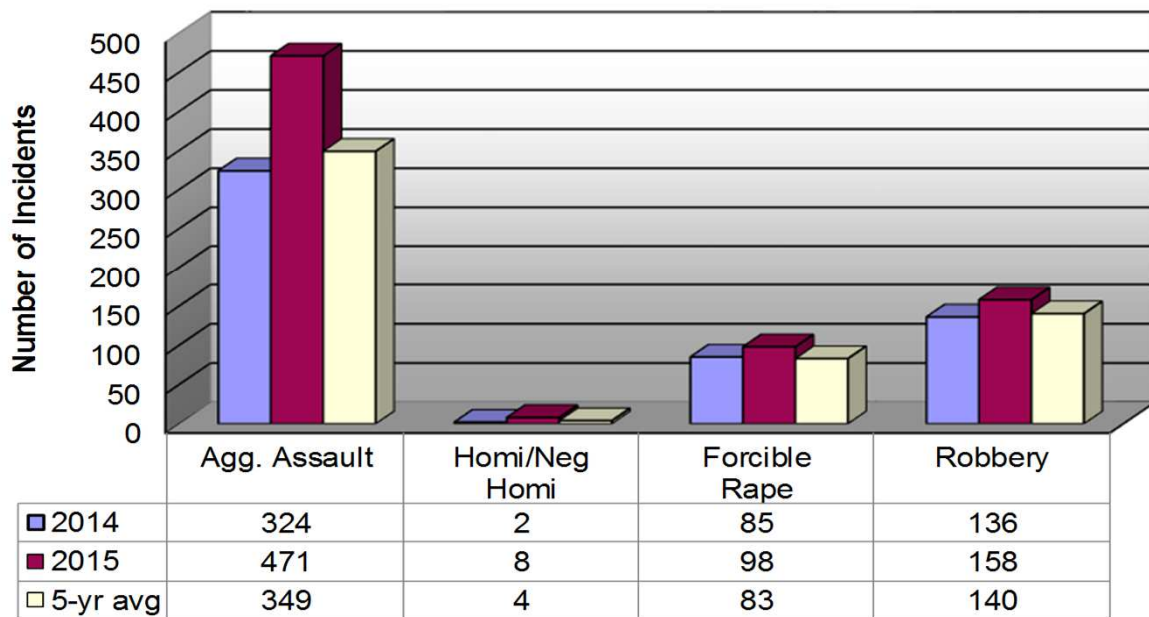
West Valley Police Department 2015 Part 1 Crimes per 1000

Crimes per 1000

	Violent Crimes	Property Crimes
# Crimes per 1000	1.36	10.96

Property Crimes per 1000

Arson	Burglary	Larceny/Theft	Auto Theft
0.1	5.8	31.3	6.7

Violent Crimes per 1000

Agg Assault	Homicide	Forcible Rape	Robbery
3.47	0.06	0.72	1.17
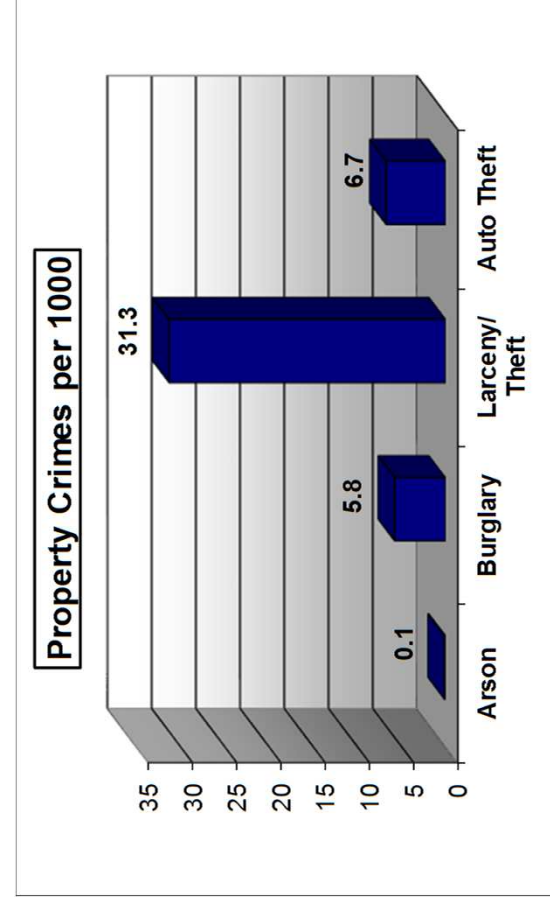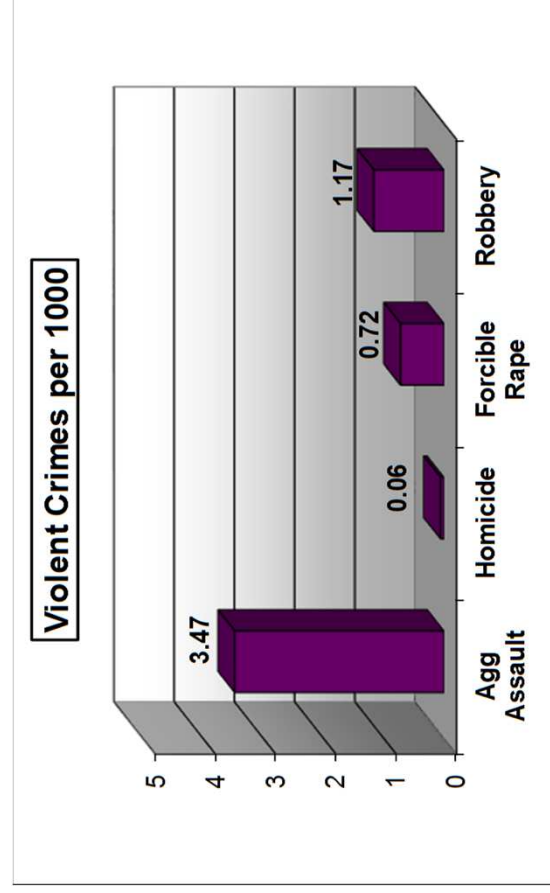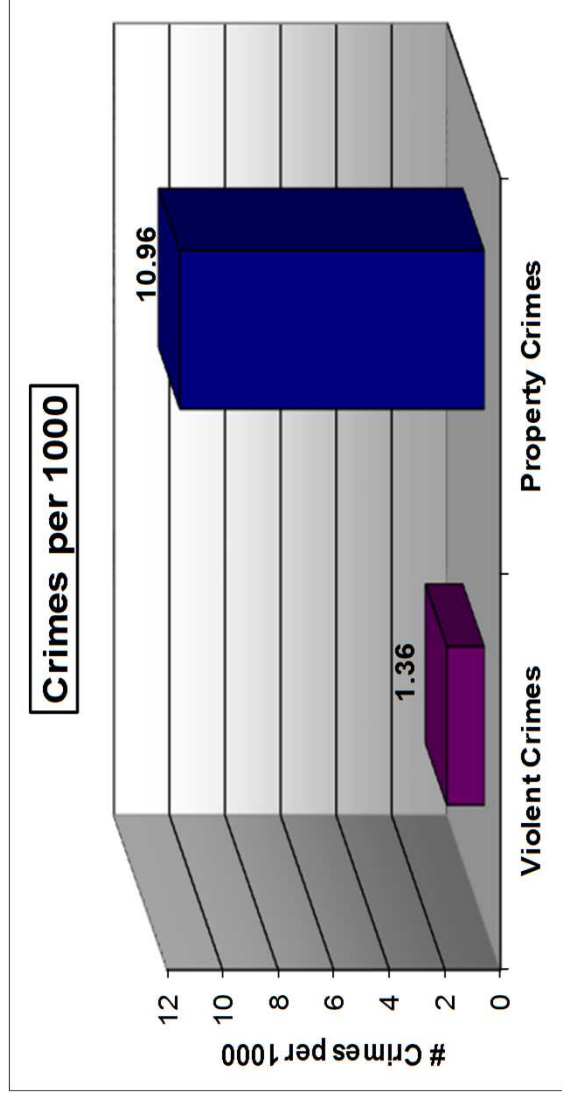
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2015 Group A & B IBR Crimes

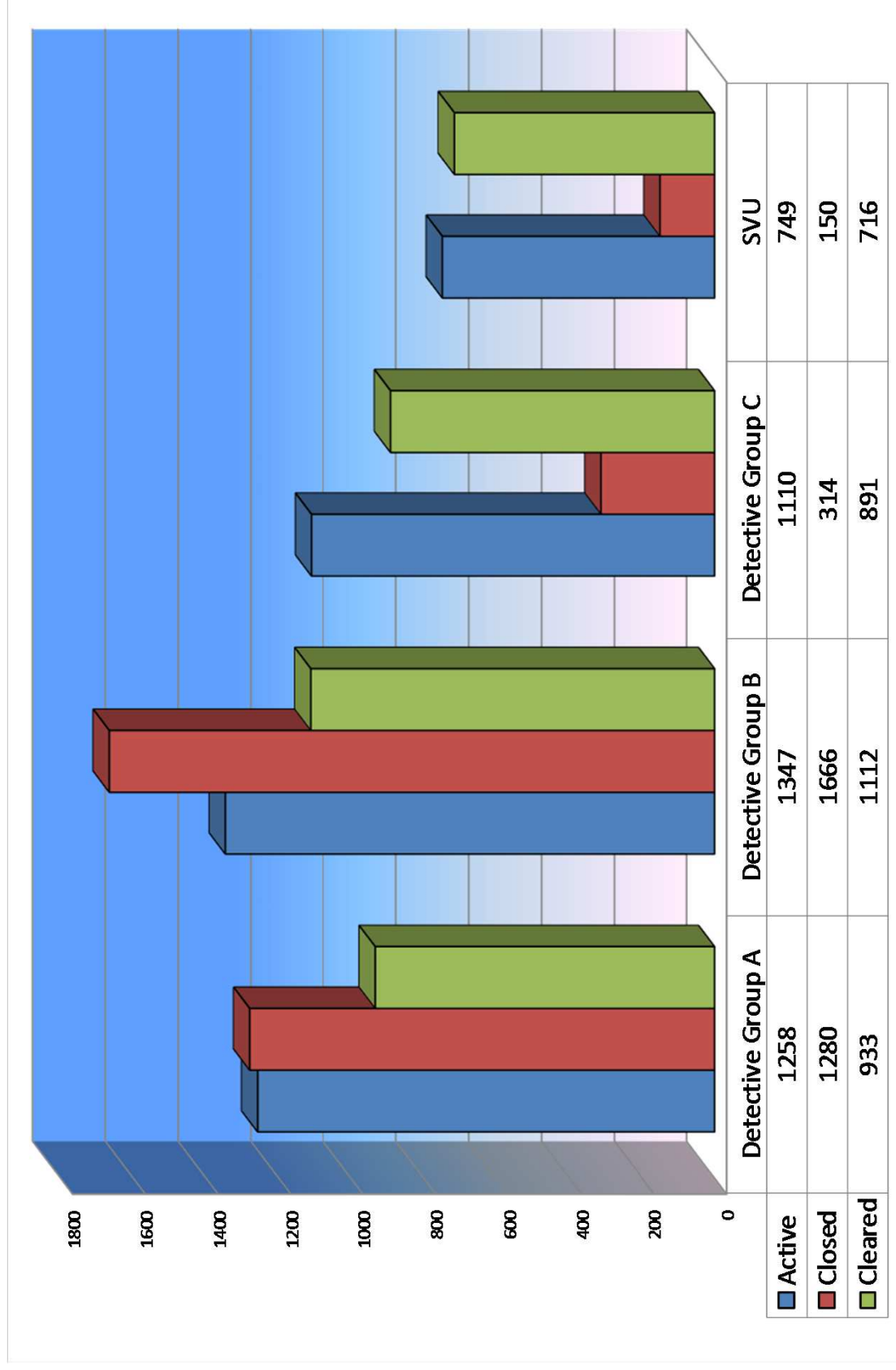| IBR Group A Crimes	2014	2015	Difference	% Change
Arson	13	17	4	31%
Assaults (Aggravated, Simple, Intimidation)	2169	2275	106	5%
Bribery	0	0	0	N/C
Burglary/Breaking & Entering	903	780	-123	-14%
Counterfeiting/Forgery	298	325	27	9%
Destruction/Damage/Vandalism	1765	1726	-39	-2%
Drug Narcotic Offenses (Drugs &/or Drug Equipment)	2391	2328	-63	-3%
Embezzlement	33	39	6	18%
Extortion/Blackmail	1	3	2	200%
Fraud (Credit card, ATM fraud, Impersonation, Welfare fraud, Wire fraud, RX fraud)	858	864	6	1%
Gambling Offenses (Betting/Wagering, Operating/Promoting/ Assisting gambling, Gambling Equipment, Sports Tampering)	0	0	0	N/C
Homicide	2	8	6	300%
Kidnapping/Unlawful Detention	106	101	-5	-5%
Larceny/Theft (Pickpocket, Purse-snatching, Shoplifting, Theft from Building, Theft from Coin-operated Machine, Theft from Motor Vehicle, Theft of Motor Vehicle Parts, All other Larceny)	3383	4237	854	25%
Motor Vehicle Theft	889	910	21	2%
Pornography/Obscene Material	12	27	15	125%
Prostitution/Assisting or Promoting Prostitution	1	1	0	0%
Robbery	136	158	22	16%
Sex Offenses - Forcible (Forcible Rape, Forcible Sodomy, Sexual Assault w/ an object, Forcible Fondling)	228	238	10	4%
Sex Offenses - Non-Forcible (Incest, Statutory Rape)	15	5	-10	-67%
Stolen Property	280	284	4	1%
Weapons Law Violations	263	289	26	10%
TOTAL IBR CRIMES	13746	14615		6.3%

N/C = Not Calculable

IBR GROUP B CRIMES (IBR Group B Crimes are only recorded in the event of an arrest.)	Adult Arrests 2014	Adult Arrests 2015	Difference	% Change	Juv Arrests 2014	Juv Arrests 2015	Difference	% Change
Bad Checks	1	0	-1	-100%	0	0	0	0%
Curfew Violations					31	26	-5	-16%
Disorderly Conduct	336	288	-48	-14%	64	23	-41	-64%
Driving Under the Influence	335	259	-76	-23%	8	3	-5	-63%
Drunkenness	318	203	-115	-36%	112	44	-68	-61%
Family Non-Violent Offenses (Abandonment, desertion, neglect, nonsupport non-violent abuse, non-violent cruelty to family members.)	22	14	-8	-36%	0	0	0	0%
Liquor Law Violations (Unlawful manufacture, sale, purchase, transportation, possession, or use of alcoholic beverages.)	567	93	-474	-84%	2	5	3	150%
Peeping Tom	0	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
Runaway					390	394	4	1%
All Other Offenses (Hit & run, trespassing, bigamy, custodial interference, escape from justice, evading, fireworks, fleeing, harboring, illegal dumping, littering, work card violations, reckless burning.)	324	671	347	107%	176	129	-47	-27%
TOTAL IBR Group B Crimes	1903	1528	-375	-20%	783	624	-159	-20%

N/C = Not Calculable

West Valley City Police Department
2015 Investigations Case Management Comparison

|	Detective Group A	Detective Group B	Detective Group C	SVU
Active	1258	1347	1110	749
Closed	1280	1666	314	150
Cleared	933	1112	891	716

- ■ Active
- ■ Closed
- ■ Cleared

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West Valley City Police Department
2015 Hate Crime Statistics

A Hate Crime is defined by the Department of Justice as "a criminal offense committed against a person, property, or society that is motivated, in whole or in part, by the offender's bias against a race, religion, disability, sexual orientation, or ethnicity/national origin."

Hate Crime Statistics

Hate Crime Statistics	2014	2015
Race	8	4
Religion	3	1
Ethnicity	0	4
Sexual Orientation	0	1
Total Hate Crimes	**11**	**10**

Hate Crimes by Offense
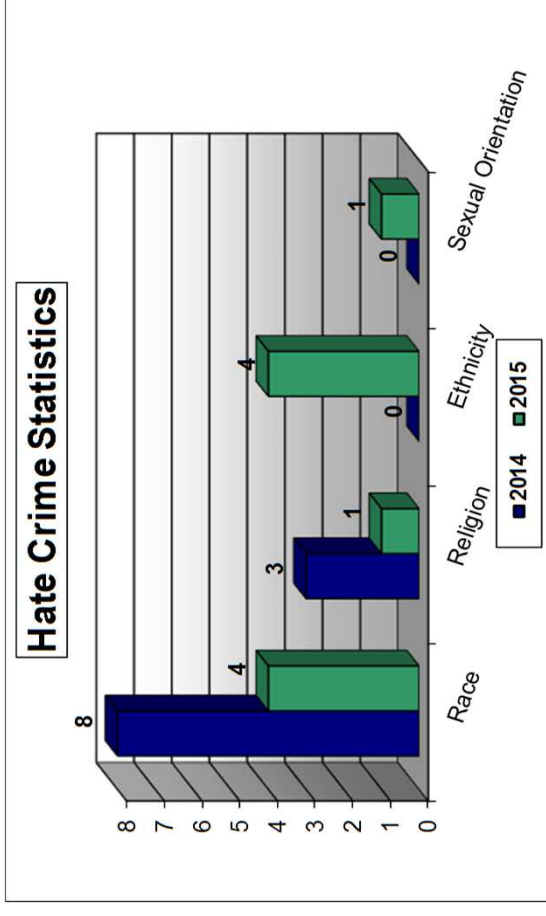
Hate Crimes by Offense	2014	2015
Suspicious Circ	2	0
Burglary	1	0
Vandalism	4	2
Intimidation/Threats	0	2
Assault	3	4
Theft	1	0
Warrants	0	1
Other	0	1
Total Hate Crimes	**11**	**10**
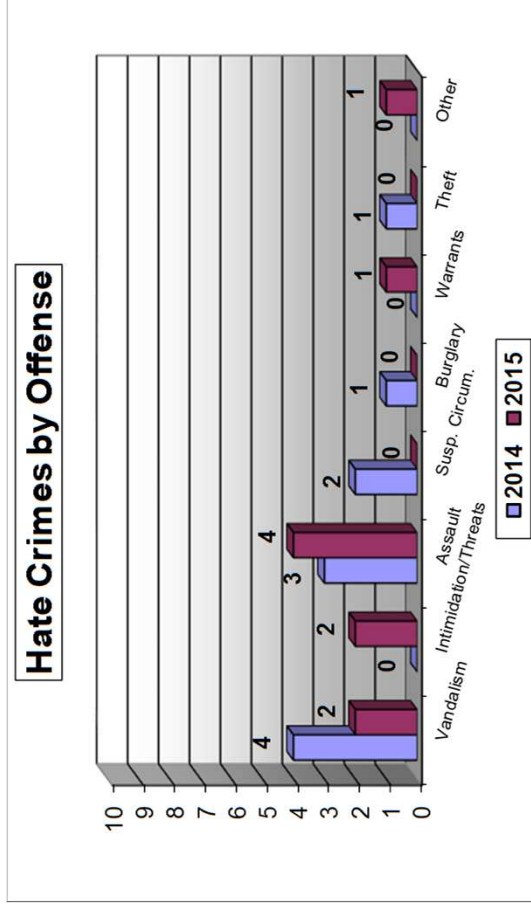
West Valley City Police Department
2015 Gang Related Crimes

Gang-Related Crimes		
Type of Offense	**2014**	**2015**
Homicide	0	1
Sex Offenses	1	0
Robbery	9	14
Burglary	4	3
Aggravated Assault	13	32
Simple Assault	16	14
Theft	3	7
Vehicle Theft	4	0
Weapons Offenses	13	15
Drug Offenses	9	7
Alcohol Violations	0	0
Graffiti/Vandalism	233	201
Other	55	35
TOTAL	**360**	**329**
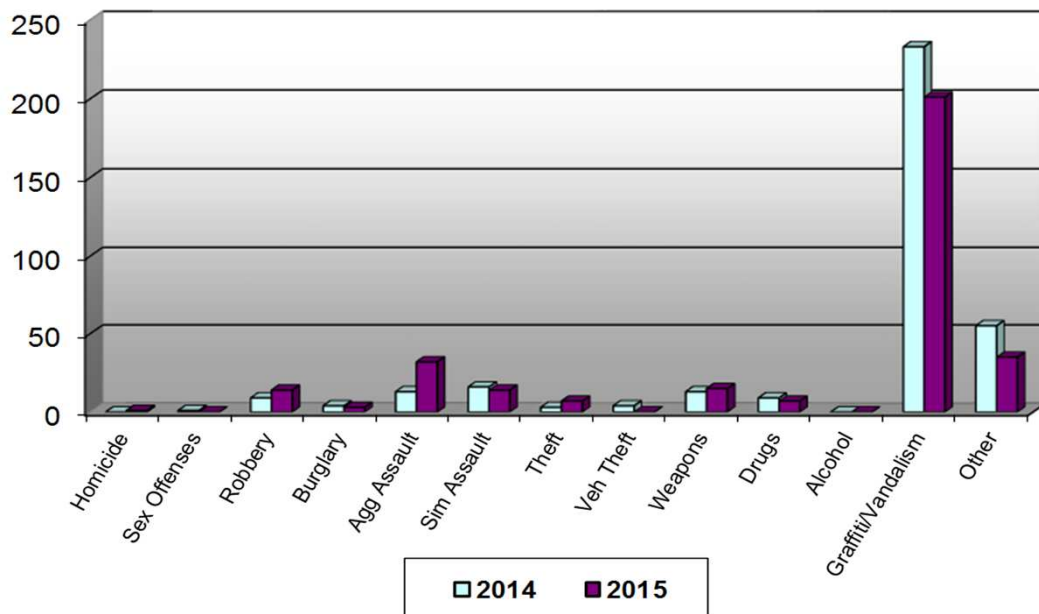
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2015 Forensic Unit Statistics

AFIS (Automated Fingerprint Identification System)		
	Unknown Fingerprints Added to AFIS	Prints Identified using AFIS
2015	367	101

Forensics Summary Statistics				
	Internal Cases Processed	Identified Latent Fingerprints	Crime Scene Responses	**Forensics Presentations
2015	1,860	557	110	14

**Presentations include classes for high schools and jr.high schools, law enforcement training and local groups (scouts, etc).

-**Identified Latent Fingerprints** are fingerprints recovered from a crime scene. The Forensics Unit can then search the Automated Fingerprint Identification System (AFIS) for a match.

-**AFIS (Automated Fingerprint Identification System)** is a nationwide fingerprint database managed by the FBI. Agencies across the country collect, store, search and exchange fingerprint data using this database.

-**Note**: There were no fingerprints completed on the public during this year, as the machine was inoperable.

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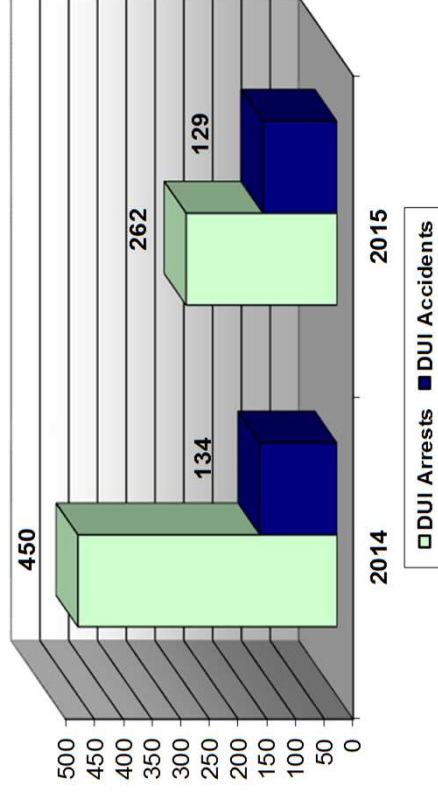# 2015 Records & Evidence Statistics

Records Section Stats			
	2014	**2015**	**% Change**
Initial Reports	24,162	23,094	-4%
Supplemental Reports	14,159	13,489	-5%
Lines of Narrative	339,661	148,323	-56%
Arrests	8,389	6,794	-19%
Traffic Accidents	4,280	3,799	-11%
Traffic Citations	16,806	11,062	-34%
DUI's	485	359	-26%
Impounds	1,425	1,522	7%
GRAMA Requests	11,612	13,123	13.0%
Walk-In Assists	11,347	9,120	-20%

Evidence Unit Stats			
	2014	**2015**	**% Change**
New Evidence Items	14,429	15,896	10%
Items Checked Out	2,996	3,393	13%
Released to Owner/ Other	1,805	2,062	14%
Request to Process	2,918	3,124	7%
State Crime Lab	907	728	-20%
Purged Property	6,855	7,867	15%
Safe Keeping Letters Sent	1,327	1,302	-2%
Work Cards	104	71	-32%
Employee ID Cards	123	192	56%
Sexual Assault Kits Submitted	N/A	72	N/A
Sexual Assault Kits Processed	N/A	68	N/A
Photographs Processed	10,708	11,577	8%

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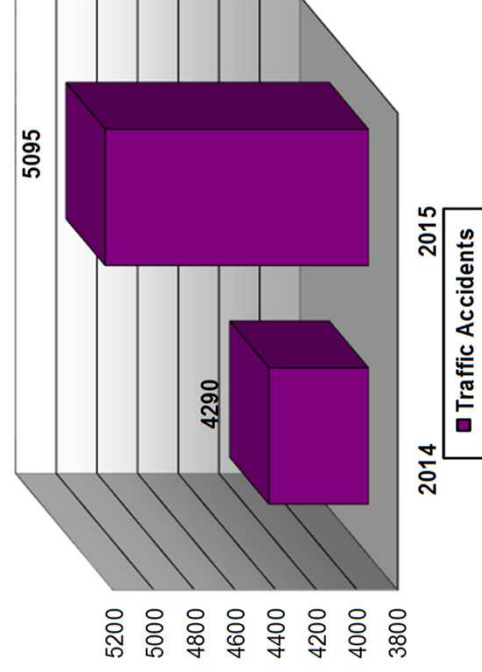## 2015 Traffic Statistics

Total Citations

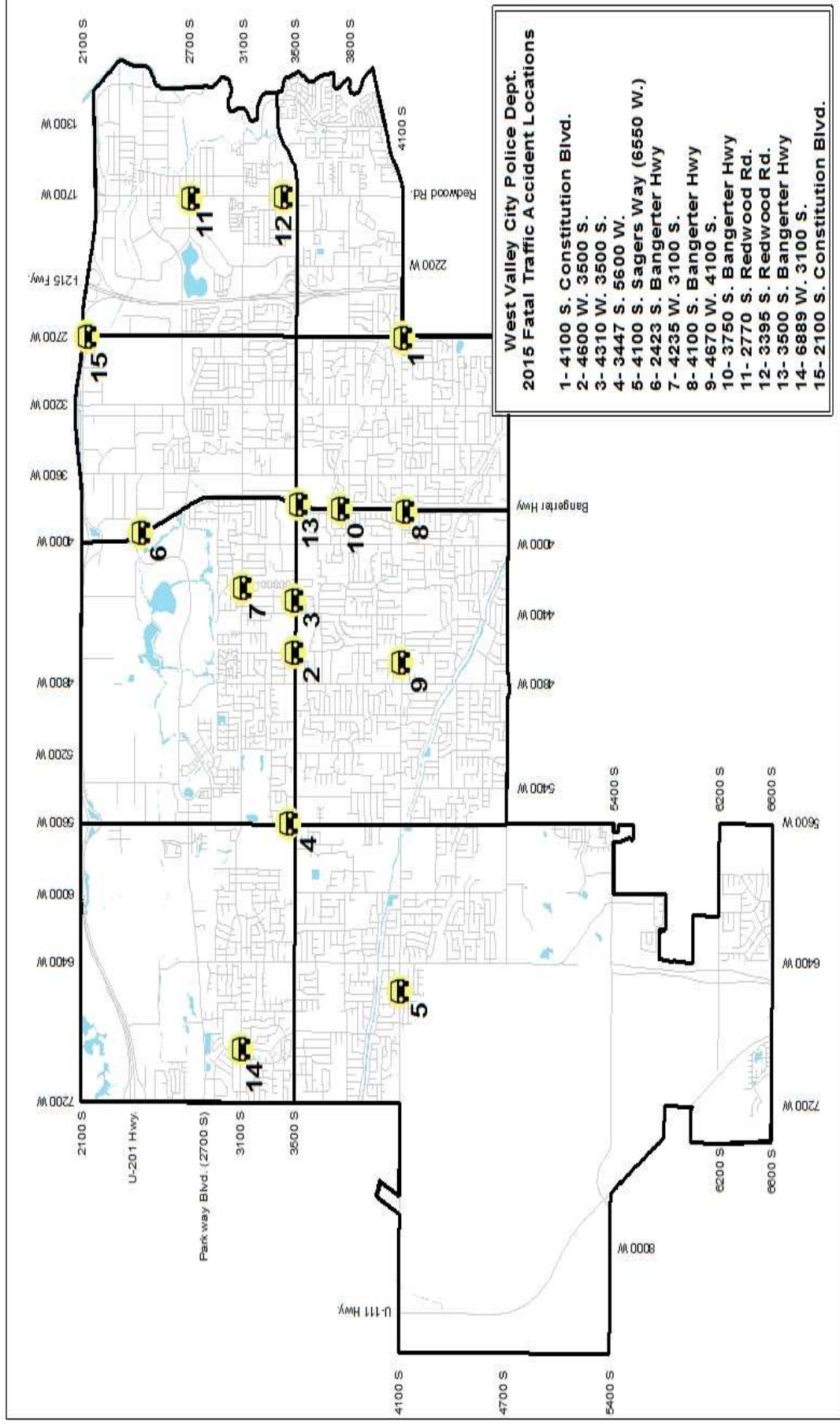**DUI Arrests & DUI Traffic Accidents**
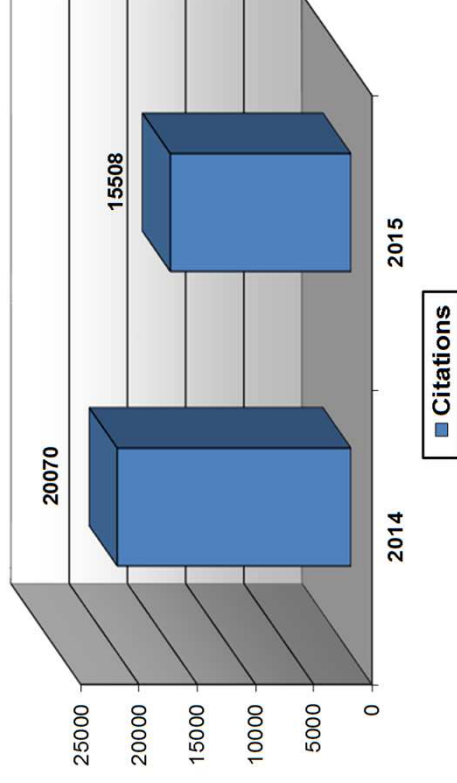
Traffic Accidents

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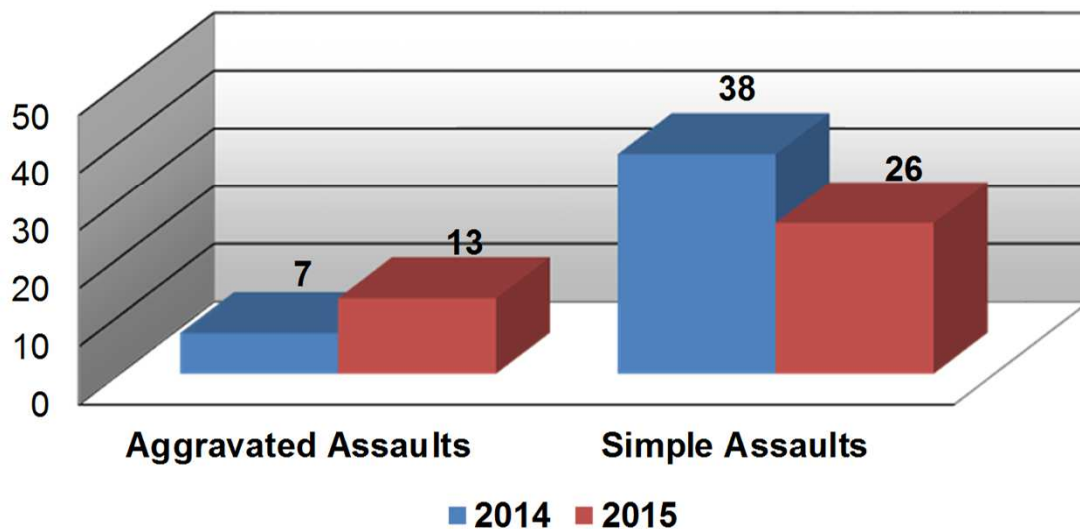
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2015 Fatal Traffic Accident Locations

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2015 Fatal Traffic Accident Locations

1- 4100 S. Constitution Blvd.
2- 4600 W. 3500 S.
3- 4310 W. 3500 S.
4- 3447 S. 5600 W.
5- 4100 S. Sagers Way (6550 W.)
6- 2423 S. Bangerter Hwy
7- 4235 W. 3100 S.
8- 4100 S. Bangerter Hwy
9- 4670 W. 4100 S.
10- 3750 S. Bangerter Hwy
11- 2770 S. Redwood Rd.
12- 3395 S. Redwood Rd.
13- 3500 S. Bangerter Hwy
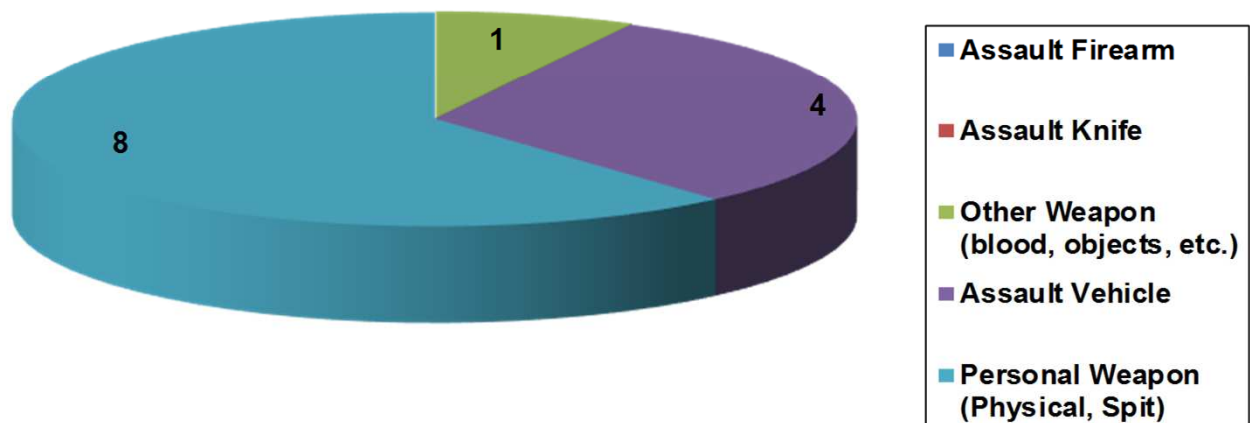14- 6889 W. 3100 S.
15- 2100 S. Constitution Blvd.

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West Valley City Police Department
2015 Assaults Against Police Officers

Types of Assaults Against WVC Police Officers

- Aggravated Assaults: 2014 = 7, 2015 = 13
- Simple Assaults: 2014 = 38, 2015 = 26

Legend: 2014, 2015

Weapons Used in Assaults Against West Valley Police Officers

- Assault Firearm
- Assault Knife
- Other Weapon (blood, objects, etc.): 1
- Assault Vehicle: 4
- Personal Weapon (Physical, Spit): 8

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2015 Professional Standards Statistics

Response to Resistance
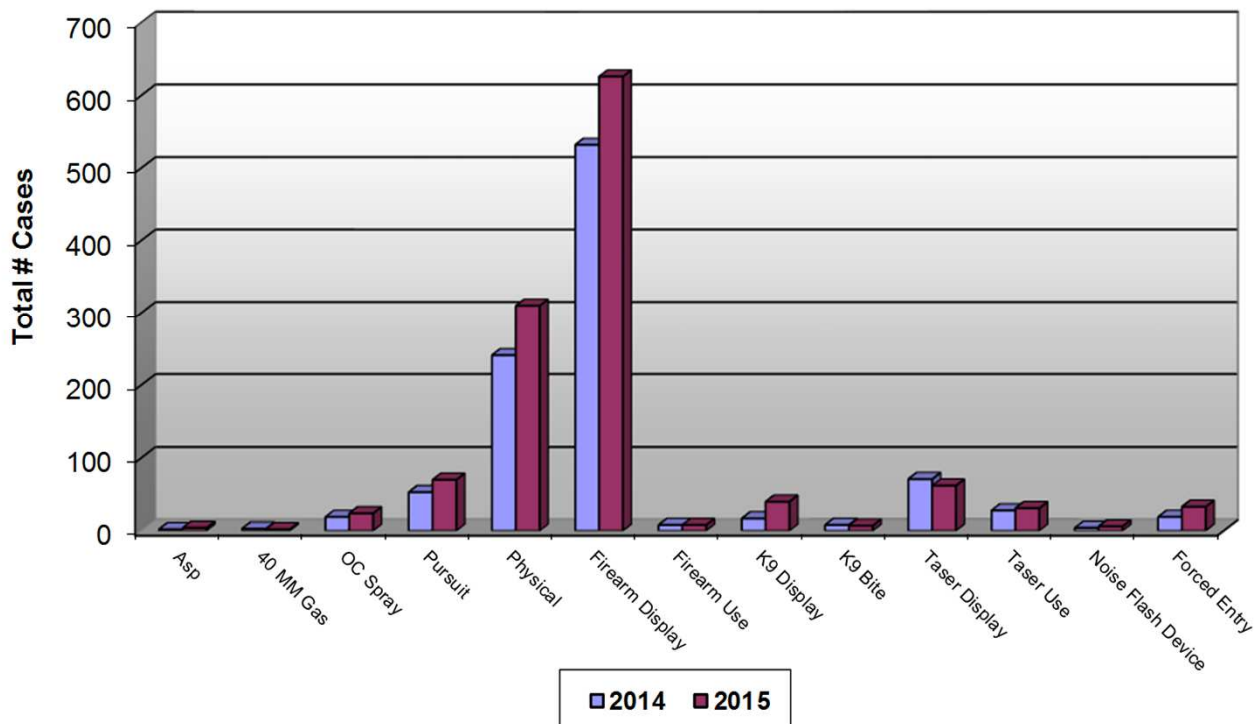
IA Case Statistics		
	2014	**2015**
Total Complaints	97	58
External Complaints	57	40
Internal Complaints	40	18
Disciplined	24	16

Response to Resistance		
	2014	**2015**
Asp	2	4
40 MM Gas	3	2
OC Spray	19	24
Pursuits	53	70
Physical	241	310
Firearm Display	532	626
Firearm Use	1	2
K9 Display	17	40
K9 Bite	8	7
Taser Display	71	62
Taser Use	28	31
Noise Flash Device	4	6
Forced Entry	19	33
Out of Policy	3	5